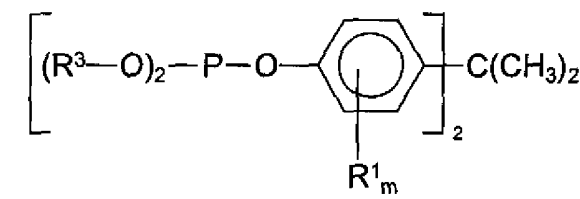

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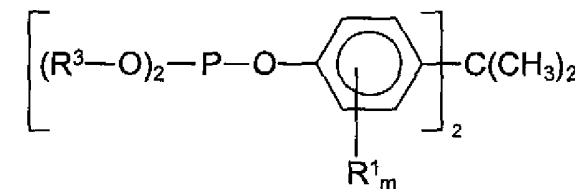
16. (currently amended) ~~The composition of claim 15 which further comprises~~ A stabilized vinyl resin which comprises:

- (a) an additive composition for use as at least a partial replacement for mixed metal, alkali-metal and tin-based stabilizer additives for use in said vinyl resin; and
- (b) polyvinyl-chloride a halogenated resin; and
- (c) wherein said additive composition consists of at least two phosphite esters, and further wherein a first phosphite ester is C₁₀₋₁₅ alkyl bisphenol-A phosphites of formula (IV) and C₁₋₉ alkyl substituted derivatives thereof



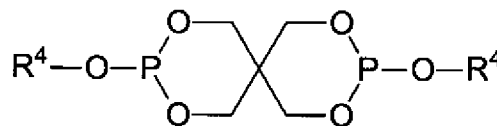
(IV), and

- (d) at least one second phosphite ester which is selected from the group consisting of
- (i) C₁₀₋₁₅ alkyl bisphenol-A phosphites of formula (IV)



(IV),

(ii) C₈₋₁₅ pentaerythritol phosphites of formula (VI)



and wherein

R¹ is independently selected from the group consisting of H and C₁₋₉ alkyl, and

R³ is C₁₀₋₁₅ alkyl, and

R⁴ is the same as R¹, and

m is an integral value from 0 to 1 inclusive, and

(e) a zinc additive for said additive composition wherein a molar ratio of P/Zn is from about 80:1 to 4:1; and

(f) said additive composition is free of calcium, cadmium, barium and tin.